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WILL APPEAL.

Prosecuting Attorney Campbell
Was Very Much Dis-
satisfied.

Cases tried in the Police Court
This Morning by Judge
Sanders.

Prosecuting Attorney Wheeler
Campbell this morning after police
court announced that he would take
an appeal in the case against Mrs.
Philander Poole, charged with point-
ing a deadly weapon at a boy named
Mooney. The case is the one alleged to
have shot at the boy, who was on a
wood shed, and according to the wit-
nesses doing nothing to exasperate
the woman when she shot.

She was fined \$5 and costs for
shooting inside the city limits, and
the prosecuting attorney, while he ad-
mits that the boys in that locality
may be pretty bad, it does not re-
duce her offense in the least. He
expects to take it to a higher court.

The case against Will Briggs,
charged with cutting Bud Henderson
was continued until Wednesday
week, on account of Henderson's
condition.

The most monotonous case was a
wrangle between two second street
merchants, M. Marx and Charles
Michael. The latter had Marx ar-
rested for "pulling." In other
words with taking a customer from
his store yesterday afternoon. This
has long been a source of great
trouble among the merchants of that
locality. There were many wit-
nesses, and upon the conclusion of the
witnesses' testimony the case was
dismissed.

The false swearing case against
Alex Thomas, which has been on the
docket for several days, was partial-
ly heard and left open until tomorrow.
Mrs. Philander Poole, charged
with shooting at a boy Sunday, was
fined \$5 and costs in the police court
this morning.

W. T. Herring, who was charged
with being drunk and disorderly, was
fined \$2 and costs this morning. He
resisted and had to be elbowed by
Officers Crow and Eiler.
Joe Harris was fined \$1 and costs
for a breach of the peace.
Annie Ramsey and Adeline Mor-
ton, two notorious colored street
walkers, were fined \$5 and costs
each.

"REMEMBER THE MAINE."

"Remember the Maine," a naval
play by Lincoln J. Carter, will be
given its first presentation in this
city at the opera house next Friday
night. The scenic possibilities sug-
gested by the title, it is said, have
been fully improved, and the name
of Lincoln J. Carter seems to assure
this. "Remember the Maine" con-
tains tropical scenes, of distance and
engaged in battle in the distance and
discloses a monster stage ship, for
the moving of which special arrange-
ments had to be made. In addition
to the regular scenes of the play, Mr.
Carter has supplied handsome spec-
tacles of a patriotic nature and dis-
solving light pictures of Lincoln, Cu-
ban slave, McKinley, Remember Me,
Dewey, the Maine. We have remem-
bered the Maine. Elaborate prepa-
rations have been made and the
prediction, it is promised, will sur-
pass all the other Carter plays.

SEE OUR WINDOW

For the best \$3.50 man's shoe in the
city. Better than you can buy else-
where for \$4. COCHRAN & OWEN.

Plantation Chill Cure is made by
Van Vleet-Mansfield Drug Co., hence
is reliable.

TO RENT.

Three rooms, furnished or unfur-
nished, at North Third and Madison
streets, No. 303.

NOTICE.

Call on Wm. A. Ross for Pans,
Suits, Overcoats, etc. He received
a choice line a few days ago.

WAITING FOR THEIR ORDERS.

The Democrats of New York
State Get Together, But
Have Not Been Told
What to Do.

Adjourned After Squelching a Sil-
ver Delegate Who Was Too
Previous—Meets Again To-
morrow Morning.

Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 28.—The
democratic state convention met to-
day at noon, but nobody seems to
know who is to be nominated for
governor. Many conferences have
been held, but no slates have been
made public. An immense crowd is
in attendance.

A silver delegate who tried to in-
troduce a resolution favoring silver
was declared out of order.
After a short session the conven-
tion adjourned until tomorrow.

NOT ARRESTED.

Mrs. Guilford, the Murderess, Has
Given the Detectives
the Slip.

Was Supposed to Have Been Ar-
rested by Liverpool De-
tectives.

London, Sept. 28.—Mrs. Guilford,
who was supposed to have been ar-
rested by Liverpool detectives, is
supposed to have given the detectives
the slip.

The woman supposed to be the
Connecticut murderess arrived yester-
day from Montreal on the steamer
Vancouver, and detectives immedi-
ately shadowed her. But she has
evidently given them the slip and
escaped.

SITUATION SERIOUS.

Numerous Suspicious Cases of
Yellow Fever at
Jackson.

Epidemic Among Negroes Feared,
and the Situation
Serious

Jackson, Miss., Sept. 28.—The
latest yellow fever developments are
serious.

It is feared the infected districts
here are very large, and there are
many suspicious cases.

The general situation is most seri-
ous and an epidemic among the ne-
groes is greatly feared.

WEDDING TOMORROW

Mr. Albert Dumaine and Miss
Freddie Baumgard to
Marry.

Ceremony to Be Performed at the
Home of the Bride by Rev.
Hartenberger.

A pretty home wedding will take
place tomorrow night at 8:30 o'clock
at the home of the bride, 1713
Broad street. Miss Freddie Baum-
gard, a pretty and popular South
Side belle, will be united in marriage
to Mr. Albert Dumaine, the well
known gardener. Rev. Hartenberger,
of the German Lutheran church, will
perform the ceremony.

Friends and relatives of the couple
have been invited and there will be a
large crowd to witness the marriage.
Both are well known young people.
Mr. Dumaine has many friends here,
and lives on North Tenth street. His
bride-to-be is one of the prettiest
young ladies in Paducah.

CUT HIS THROAT.

News of a Fatal Affray in Graves
County Received Today.

News of a fatal cutting affray in
Graves county reached the city to-
day. Tom Reed, a farmer of the
county, was drunk at a barbecue,
and his friend and neighbor, John
Hendrickson, volunteered to take him
home.

It seems Reed objected to going
home, and when Hendrickson stooped
to pick him up, reached up with a
knife and cut his throat.

This morning he was reported as
being in a dying condition, with little
or no hope of recovery. The news
of the affray did not reach the city
until this morning.

REDUCED RATE TO LOUIS-
VILLE.

On account of fall races at Louis-
ville, the Illinois Central Railroad
company will on Sept. 26, 27, 28, 29
and for train No. 4 leaving Paducah
1:20 a. m. Sept. 30, sell tickets to
Louisville and return at one fare for
the round trip, good returning until
Oct. 2, 1898.

J. T. DOWMAN, Agent.

ROOSEVELT NOMINATED.

New York, Sept. 28.—The repub-
lican state convention of New York
yesterday afternoon nominated Theod-
ore Roosevelt on the first ballot.
The vote was:

Roosevelt—753.
Black—218.

The platform declares the cam-
paign in a broad sense to be a na-
tional campaign.

It is considered a strong endorse-
ment of the administration.

SHORT TELEGRAMS.

Washington, Sept. 28.—General
Aguinaldo's ambassadors are here
endeavoring to get an audience with
the President.

London, Sept. 28.—It is still be-
lieved here that the Emperor of
China has been assassinated.

Washington, Sept. 28.—The in-
vestigation commission has begun its
regular sittings and the taking of
evidence.

ADMIRAL DEWEY.

He Gives His Opinion as to What
Our Course Should Be in
the Philippine
Islands.

Would Hold Manila and the Is-
land of Luzon, Anyway, and
All Others If Spain Does
Not Keep Them.

Washington, Sept. 28.—General
Greene yesterday delivered to the
president a communication from Rear
Admiral Dewey, giving the rear ad-
miral's views on the disposition of the
Philippine islands. He is said to be-
lieve, with the president, that the
United States should hold the island
of Luzon with reversionary rights to
the remainder of the islands.

MAD FROM HUNGER.

Terrible Experiences of Klondike
Two Drowning, Two Be-
ing Insane, and Others
Tired of Life.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 28.—Out of
a party of twenty-six men that left
San Francisco early in the year to go
to Dawson via the Stikine trail, Her-
man Long, of this city, is the only
one that pushed through. Two of
the number were drowned, two are
insane and the others are far in the
interior regaining their health at
trading posts.

In the swift Chelsey river in the
north rivers seven of their boats
were dashed to pieces on the rocks
and the outfits were lost. In two of
the wrecks Dr. Black and a man
named Morgan drowned. Long says
that many of the men went tempo-
rarily insane after their provisions
began to give out. They had to be
watched continually, as several at-
tempts at suicide were made.

OFF FOR MANILA.

New York, Sept. 28.—The battle-
ships Oregon, Capt. A. S. Barker,
and Iowa, Capt. Silas Terry, have
started on their journey to Manila.
It is expected it will take the ships
sixty days to complete the trip. They
will stop at Bahia, Brazil, to coal.
The cruiser Buffalo, accompanied by
two store ships, the Iris and the Cel-
tic, is expected to follow the Oregon
and Iowa in about a week.

112 THIS MONTH.

Many Patients at the Railroad
Hospital.

There have this month been 112
patients received and cared for at the
railroad hospital, with no deaths, and
many discharges.

The record will by far beat that of
last month.

The request of Spanish residents
of Porto Rico to be repatriated free
of cost will be granted by the Span-
ish government. Arrangements have
been made with the Spanish Trans-
atlantic company for their transporta-
tion with the Spanish soldiers.

The problem of caring for the sick
soldiers who will be brought from
Cuba and Porto Rico is troubling the
Spanish government. Only ten
thousand beds, including numerous
private offers, have been obtained
for 22,000 sick men.

THE BEST SHOES

In the city are found at Cochran &
Owen's, at very low prices.

331 Broadway.

Dr. Edwards, Ear, Eye, Nose and
Throat Specialist, Paducah, Ky.

THE MAYOR'S ADDRESS.

His Plan for Improving Portions
of Four Streets, Storm Sew-
ers and a Market
House.

Would Pay For These Public Im-
provements by the Issuing of
Bonds to the Extent
of \$100,000.

Paducah, Ky., Sept. 27, 1898.
To the Members of the Common Coun-
cil:

Gentlemen: As you are doubt-
less aware, the streets of our city are
too narrow, especially is this true of
the business portion there. The time
has come, or will soon arrive, when
some must be remodeled.

First, the gutters must be recon-
structed, all are too deep. In the
business portion of the city, all drain-
age has been planned (which is the
correct idea) to drain from midway
the block on either side of streets
running north and south, to streets
running east and west, thence to the
river; yet these gutters, which should
begin at nothing, in the center, or al-
most level with the curb to a very
shallow depth at most, where, empty-
ing into east and west drainage, are
nearly deep enough to float small wa-
ter craft if filled with water; this be-
ing wrong in theory, and horrible in
practice.

The remedy is, put in at the head
of drainage on each east and west
street, beginning at Seventh street,
and run same to the river under the
gutters a sub-drain, or storm water
sewer, of adequate size, and properly
constructed on Washington street,
Court street, Broadway and Jefferson
street, fill in over all these to nearly
level with the curb, thereby remov-
ing from these thoroughfares all
wooden culverts, wooden bridges,
etc., and thus giving to commerce
about twelve feet of useful street
space now given over to deep and un-
sightly gutters, this would obviate
the collection of filth in same and the
necessity of the expense of the effort
now ineffectually adopted to keep
them clean.

After sub-sewering as outlined, re-
construct gutters on the cross streets,
regrading these to a very shallow
depth, sufficient only to carry the
rain fall one-half block either way,
emptying this water into brick catch
basins of the sub-sewer, at each inter-
section, thereby widening all cross or
intersecting streets, making them
both slightly and useful. The in-
creasing volume of traffic of our city,
while demanding the utilization of
every inch of the breadth of streets,
also necessitates the investigation of
some stable material of which to con-
struct same. There is no absolutely
satisfactory street building material
yet discovered. Every city in the
land is wrestling with this problem.

The most approved to date are as-
phalt, and vitrified brick. Asphalt
is smooth, beautiful, and when prop-
erly constructed, durable and almost
noiseless, but is expensive to build,
dusty in dry weather, and slippery
when wet, does not stand the heaviest
traffic, and is said to be affected more
or less by climatic conditions. Vitrified
brick are being used extensively
in the large cities, especially where
the hauling is heavy. This material
costs less than asphalt, wears well
and is proving very satisfactory with
the exception of two important points,
viz: The noise of passing vehicles,
over brick streets is almost unpara-
lel, and to drive over such streets in
an ordinary carriage is most trying
on sensitive nerves, while the un-
yielding surface of the brick carriage
way is killing on live stock, thus
you will observe that neither of
the materials conceded to be the
best, are without objections. The ap-
proximate cost of asphalt street per
block on our streets, estimating
width from curb to curb forty-two
feet, and length from center of inter-
secting street to center of same four
hundred and twelve feet, will be \$3-
946, and constructed of brick \$2-
943, with five to ten years guarantee
by the builders, they giving bond to
keep all streets so constructed in
thorough repair for said term of
years. The estimates here consid-
ered are made up from the average
price of contracts recently made by
ten different cities, and both mate-
rials considered. None of these cities
are near cement gravel, know practi-
cally little of it, and if it was a proven
success, would doubtless cost as
much in many cases to get it, as costs
these expensive materials above men-
tioned, therefore I am not prepared
to abandon for street building a com-
modity, which nature has so lavishly
placed at our doors, without a most
thorough trial. I refer to our gravel
deposits, and am confident that these
streets constructed with this, and the
same care given to building a founda-
tion, as is given to the construction
of asphalt, and brick streets, with
proper oval surface, with suffi-
cient depth of clean gravel,
rolled hard, that we will have
streets as good as the best at less
than half the cost of many; smooth,
easily repaired, and pleasing to drive
over, and sufficiently strong to bear
the heaviest traffic. Our plan of
building streets in the past and at
present is one which would not
stand, if the driveway was built of
iron, all must know that the sewage
during the winter months in a soil so
flat and porous as that on which we

build our streets will soften the earth
beneath the strata of gravel, which
in turn must yield for lack of sup-
port, having no foundation. Asphalt
would not last a week in the winter,
spread on the earth as is the gravel,
and brick would be crushed into the
mud in a very few days at most. I
recommend giving gravel a fair trial.
I also recommend that during the
year 1899 that the work of recon-
structing the streets named be begun
and pushed as rapidly as possible to
completion, and that a substantial
market house be erected on the site
of the present one, constructed of
brick, iron and stone, this last being
a source of income to the city, which
revenue can easily be doubled by re-
building as suggested, there
scarcely being a market day
when one-half the producers
can be accommodated at present, and
aside from the increased revenue sure
to accrue to the city by reason of a
new building, it is our duty to foster
the coming to our market in every
reasonable way all persons who bring
products of the farm to sell, as they
in turn make needed purchases of the
local merchants, thereby adding to
their trade and the trade of the city.

This work as outlined cannot be
done by general taxation now, nor
ever can be, and will require means
for its accomplishment, and there is
only one way this can be done, name-
ly: by a bond issue; remember if it
is ever done, it can only be done by
issuing of bonds. The city of Pa-
ducah now has a bonded indebtedness
of \$343,000, and under the con-
stitution has the authority to create
such a total of nearly \$700,000, sub-
ject to a vote of the people. With
the credit the city now has thirty-
year bonds (with a redeemable clause
inserted giving the city the right of
redemption after a period of years),
can be floated at about 3 1/2 per cent,
making the interest on \$100,000, an
annual \$3,500 per annum, or about an
annual tax levy of five cents on the
\$100 of value of the taxable prop-
erty within the city, but in addition to
the interest a small amount would
have to be set aside annually as a
sinking fund to eventually take care
of the bonds.

With the streets reconstructed as
enumerated, all wooden waterways
and bridges removed, the annual
savings in repairs will more than pay
the interest on the bond issue, there-
by costing the taxpayer of today a
very small pittance for a sinking fund
with an increased opportunity of
transacting business with comfort,
and "peace of mind," more than ad-
equate for the expenditure.

I recommend that your honorable
body weigh these much needed im-
provements carefully, and if approved,
take immediate steps toward leg-
ally placing the question of a bond
issue, and the amount thereof, before
the people to be voted on.

I believe the plan a progressive,
yet an economic measure. Very re-
spectfully,
JAS. M. LAMM,
Mayor.

HORSE STOLEN.

Mr. Monroe Thompson Loses a
Mare and a Sad-
dle.

Were Stolen Early Last Night
From Near Florence
Station.

Mr. Monroe Thompson, a well
known farmer of near Florence sta-
tion, was in the city yesterday. He
returned home about dark, put up
his mare, and this morning when he
went to the stable found that it was
gone.

The saddle was also carried away,
and the horse's feed was only par-
tially eaten, indicating that she was
taken early in the night.

It could not be ascertained whether
the thief came this way or went to-
wards Lovelaceville.

The theft was this morning reported
to Sheriff Rogers.

BIG SHOW.

Barlow Brothers Arrive and Give
a Street Parade.

Barlow Brothers' Minstrel, and
their special coach, arrived this morn-
ing from Metropolis over the Illinois
Central, and gave a fine street pa-
rade before noon. The show is said
to be better than Al Fields', but not
so large. There will likely be a large
crowd in attendance.

After the performance the entire
troupe will repair to Elks' hall, where
it will be entertained by the members
of Paducah lodge. Mr. Harry Ward
will be chairman of the social session,
and as he presided once before and
the best social session Paducah lodge
ever had resulted, there will likely be
an enthusiastic crowd present to-
night after the performance. All
Elks are urged to attend.

BOX PARTY.

A box party will be given by Mrs.
B. T. Davis tomorrow, at her resi-
dence, corner of Eleventh and Mon-
roe, for the benefit of the Tri-
bune street Methodist church. A social
invitation is extended to all.

A receiver has been appointed for
the New England Loan and Trust
company, which was a large lender
of money on western farm mort-
gages. Its capital stock was \$675-
000, and it has issued \$5,500,000 of
debentures.

FOR SALE—At Glauber's stable, a
fine saddle and harness horse 7 years
old. Call early.

Go to Lagomastino's for a nice,
large ice cold beer.

SHOVING THE QUEER.

A Great Many Spurious Coins
Are Now Floating
About.

Counterfeiters Believed to Be at
Work in This Sec-
tion.

There are a great many spurious
dollars, as well as coins of smaller
denominations, in circulation in the
city. There has been someone "shov-
ing the queer," as they call it in po-
lice circles, for sometime, and the au-
thorities have so far been unable to
get on to them.

Quarters and half dollars seem to
be the most plentiful of all the coins,
and the imitations are good. It was
only a few weeks ago that a stranger
was arrested here for passing a coun-
terfeit half dollar on a lady, but he
was released.

There have been numerous coun-
terfeit coins passed on collectors
about the city, and four or more
quarters, a dollar and half dollar
were passed in one week on carrier
boys on the SUN. The dollar is per-
fect in everything but weight, and
Marshall Collins says it is the best
imitation he ever saw.

It is reported that there have for
sometime been at work in the Clark's
river bottoms, in Marshall county, a
gang of counterfeiters, and it has
been reported to the authorities that
they have been at work there for sev-
eral months, but no one has ever
been able to locate them.

The remains of Columbus—wait-
ing the dispute as to whether they
are really the dust of the great dis-
coverer—were removed Monday from
the niche in the cathedral at Havana,
where they have rested, according to
Havana claims, since January 18,
1796. The removal took place in the
presence of Gen. Blanco and other
Spanish officials.

Druggists will say they sell more
Plantation Chill Cure than others.

Gen. Brooke, replying to inquiries
of the war department, says 2,500 of
the American soldiers in Porto Rico
are ill, but few are serious cases. He
advises against new troops, pre-
ferring to keep those that are accli-
mated.

Don't you think it time for you to
get one of Scott Hardware Co's. Fil-
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your boys and girls in and we will fit them for very little money.

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We have just received a lot of rare
specimens, and can furnish them with
globes or without. Fish globes from
25c to \$8 and \$10 aquariums.

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Seventh and Jackson.

NEWS SUMMARY.

The American peace commissioners
reached Paris Monday night. The
Spanish commissioners left Madrid
for Paris. The protocol requires the
commissioners to meet not later than
October 1.

It is understood at Washington
that the first troops to be sent into
Cuba about October 20 will be under
command of Major General Wade,
and that General Wade may remain
in command of the department of
Havana. It has been the general
belief that Major General Lee had
been selected for this position, but
Gen. Miles is said to have recom-
mended Wade. No decision has
been reached as to the governor gen-
eralship of Cuba.

50c. may save your life. Planta-
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For Chills and Fever:
WINSTEAD'S CHILL TONIC
Pleasant to take, and costs only
25c a bottle.

**WINSTEAD'S
LIVER AND KIDNEY TEA**
Is a positive cure for constipation, dyspepsia,
liver and kidney complaints of all
kinds—25 cents per box.

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NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

Cairo, 9.9, rising.
Chattanooga, 5.2, falling.
Cincinnati, 6.3, rising.
Evansville, 4.4, falling.
Florence, 4.0, falling.
Johnsonville, 3.8, falling.
Louisville, 3.7, standing.
Mt. Carmel, 5.6, rising.
Nashville, 1.9, falling.
Paducah, 3.6, rising.
Pittsburg, 6.1, falling.
St. Louis, 8.4, falling.

The United States Commissioner
of Navigation has granted the Mem-
phis & Arkansas City Packet Com-
pany authority to change the name
of the steamer Kate Adams to Dewey.
Capt. Wood says the steamer St.
James, built at Cincinnati and com-
pleted a few weeks since, and is now
plying the southern trade, is the
finest boat he ever owned and has
passed everything she has come in
contact with since she came out.

The Dick Fowler had a nice trip
on her departure for Cairo this
morning.

The Joe Fowler arrived from Ev-
ansville at noon today. Capt. Dan-
ron said that she had one of the best
trips of the season out of Evansville.
Departed on her return 2 p. m.

The Bob Dudley will report from
Clarksville this afternoon. She has
enough business to detain her at least
four hours on her return trip.

The P. D. Staggs leaves for Ten-
nessee river at 5 p. m. today.

The Sunshine is on the ways at
Cincinnati.

Mr. Ed Love and Mr. Cummings
have a contract for some sheet iron
work for the transfer boat now on the
ways.

Business very dull in river circles
today, and the weather still continues
very hot, 90 in the shade today.

Harbour's

A GRAND FALL OPENING

MILLINERY

TUESDAY, SEPT. 27

A wonderful exhibit of the most beautiful millinery in the city. Handsome hats and bonnets, artistically trimmed, bearing the stamp of fashion's latest fiat, await your inspection. A great stock—everything new and stylish. You are cordially invited to come and inspect first-class millinery at our low prices.

Fall Dress Goods

Coverts, broadcloths, crepons, novelties, serges, cashmeres, henriettas, with linings, trimmings and all to match. Will cut and make anything from a tailor-made suit down, and guarantee a fit and satisfaction. Let us save you a few dollars on your fall costumes. We are yours to please.

New Fall Jackets and Capes

A grand display of cloth jackets, plush capes and cloth capes for the fall of 1898 is now ready for your inspection at a grand saving of 25 to 50 per cent. on the dollar. Buyers and lookers are invited alike to inspect them.

New Kid Gloves

New kid gloves are here for 60, 85 and 95c a pair, with a guarantee not found elsewhere.

Corsets

American Lady Model Form—nothing later, nothing better—Empire styles, medium long and extra long, in white, blue, pink and black, not equalled by any other, at 50c, 75c, 1.00 and up to 1.25 a pair.

Boys' and Children's Clothing

The new fall styles, rightly cut and rightly tailored. Boys' and children's suits for less than you've been paying. Special and extraordinary bargains that can't be had elsewhere. The guaranteed sorts are here for 1.75, 1.95, 2.45, 2.95 and 3.45 a suit; the cheaper sorts are here for 95c, 1.25 and 1.45 a suit.

Men's Fall Clothing

Just as well save money on men's clothing as anything else. We've just received a great stock of men's Baltimore tailor-made clothing, the newest, the latest and the best. The most fastidious gentleman can be suited here. A grand saving in the cost to everybody. Our motto: Better clothing for 5.00 up to 25.00 a suit, or the same clothing for less money, than you'll buy elsewhere, or a suit for nothing. Hence it's wise to look us over.

Your Fall Shoes

If you don't seriously object to saving money when buying the fall bill of shoes, don't fail to figure with us before you buy elsewhere.

HARBOURS

On North Third Street

Just Back of Wallerstein

The New York Weekly Tribune



THE GREAT
National Family
Newspaper
For FARMERS
and VILLAGERS
and your favorite home paper,
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VERY BAD.

Some of the Old Mail Carriers Have Lost Their Overtime.

They Charge That a Lawyer Confiscated It—May Cause Trouble.

Some of the former mail carriers of Paducah are in a peck of trouble. A few years ago there passed a law prohibiting the charging of overtime in delivering mail. All claims for overtime were invalidated by limitation if over six years old. The local carriers, however, had two or more thousand dollars charged up, and took steps to recover it. Finally a long-looked-for inspector came from Washington, and after looking over their claims, told them they would have to bring suit against the government for their respective claims, and the boys began to take steps in this direction.

Messrs. Acker, Yarbro, Baynham, Will Hummel, Charles Grimm, Alford Williams and Charles Holliday employed King & Son of Washington to push their claims, and gave them power of attorney, which authorized them to sign their names. Not long ago, all claims having been awarded by the government, they received from Washington the amounts due them.

Messrs. Ohio Fisher, Frank Earhart, Pete Derrington and John Moore and other carriers employed a New York firm to recover their claims, also giving them power of attorney, and they have never received a cent. They have written to Washington and ascertained that the checks were made out in their favor on August 25. They have written the firm and have been told that there is no record of their claims ever having been paid. The government auditor, however, writes that they were all paid on the above named date. The boys have reached the conclusion that the men who were to confer with them, or a nobody else connected with the

firm, has confiscated the money, which will amount to over \$500. One of them will go to Washington as soon as possible to investigate.

REDUCED RATE TO LOUISVILLE.

On account of fall rates at Louisville, the Illinois Central Railroad company will on Sept. 26, 27, 28, 29 and for train No. 4 leaving Paducah 1:20 a. m. Sept. 30, sell tickets to Louisville and return at one fare for the round trip, good returning until Oct. 2, 1898.

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WILD WEST SHOW.

Pawnee Bill and the wild west show will be in Paducah on October 22. Yesterday afternoon arrangements for the license were made with the city, and the show will certainly come. It will likely be located near Twelfth and Trimble.

SPECIAL BREW.

A beer that is sold at the Buffet, is a rare delicacy with those oysters on half shell and imported Swiss cheese. Call and try it.

H. ZUBER.

NEW BUILDING.

Shelton Bros. are to build a new foundry on South Third street, on the present site of their establishment. It will be of brick and will cost about \$2,500. Mr. F. W. Katon has been awarded the contract.

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As remarkable as has been the growth of Paducah during the past few years, she will make a new record the next five years. Natural advantages backed up by a hustling and progressive citizenship will be the factors in the city's prosperity.

PADUCAH proposes to contribute her share of the Kentucky battleship fund and in such a way that every person in the city can have part in it. The two excursions down the river on Friday next are a most feasible way of raising the amount due from the city.

The committee that are to secure new members to the Commercial and Manufacturers' Association, expect every Paducahan, who is able, to do his duty by the city, which means that he become a member of the new commercial organization. The three committees will give every man a chance to perform that duty in the next few days.

Col. W. J. BRYAN is still a soldier of his country in spite of the fact that he longs for the raging stump in the wild and woolly west. Mr. Bryan unfortunately "signed" for two years and a cruel and partisan war department fails to see why he should not serve his country as well as many others who want to go home equally as bad.

The beauties of the Goebel election law don't seem to be impressing themselves on the dear people as fast as the arch conspirator at Covington thought they would. In fact the machine itself refuses to work. In 38 counties the commissioners appointed have failed to organize and new commissioners must be appointed. This negligence don't argue well for the machine.

GRANITOID pavements are smooth and level—that is only one difference between that kind of pavement and those made of brick, which change position after every rain or frost. The council should see to it that connections with the sewer are run to every property line on Broadway and then that granitoid pavements are put down. New pavements, repaired streets and fewer telegraph poles would change Broadway so one would hardly recognize it.

THE ENGINEER QUESTION.

It may look plausible to a body with the intellectual capacity of the city council to call it a draw and dismiss the engineer muddle with a resolution, but the less enlightened public cannot but think that the council is trying to shield an incompetent official. The charges of incompetency against the city engineer have been withdrawn, it is true, but people will ever have their private opinion in regard to the matter. It sorely reflects on the council, whether it is guilty of trying to whitewash the affair or not, to take such action as it did last night. The whole sum and substance in the matter seems to be that the respective factions, one in favor of the city engineer, "till death do us part" as it were, and the other in favor of Mr. Lyon, the assistant, seem to be afraid of each other.

The committee appointed to investigate the charges against Mr. Lyon stood two to two, and things were getting pretty warm up at the committee meeting when City Attorney Lightfoot as a conciliatory measure, arose and called attention to the fact that they stood two to two, and could argue the question until doomsday, and would still be two to two. He suggested that an ordinance defining the duties of the two officers be substituted for a fight, and they compromised on the ordinance, and deferred the fight.

No charges of incompetency have ever been lodged against Mr. Lyon, however. It would be bad enough to keep in the employ of the city a man who neglected his duty. But to retain one who is incompetent is the climax of indiscretion. The council did itself an injustice in trying to smooth over matters by a resolution. Men who are not in harmony and are expected to work in harmony, can never get along together. The council ought to have investigated the whole thing, in justice to itself and to the people who put them there. If Mr. Postlethwaite is incompetent, the people do not want him to hold such an important office as city engineer. If Mr. Lyon is negligent of

his duty, which is all he was ever charged with, the council would do well to get some one who is not. If one is guilty and the other innocent, of them, despite the individual feeling the members of the council may have in the matter. The people want competent men, above all things, and they will never believe they have a competent engineer until those charges brought and withdrawn are investigated, and investigated by somebody who knows something about it. Some of the councilmen have been making a bluster about certain men's ability, but there isn't a member in the council who knows anything about civil engineering, and as a consequence they are not capable judges of any one's ability as civil engineers. Some of the council argue that there is no one to place in the position of city engineer should the present one be deposed, and that an incompetent engineer is better than no engineer at all. This may be democratic logic, but it will never be stomachied by the people, who have to indirectly pay the salaries. The former city engineer is still a resident of Paducah, and is a good one. Some objection was raised to him, it being claimed that he was interested in a sewer contract, but he is not, and never was. He was simply employed by Wilcox & Halloran.

Give the city a good engineer or none at all.

A NEW POLICY.

The news comes from Washington that the "perilous political activity" ruling of the late President Cleveland has been knocked into a cocked hat by Hon. Perry S. Heath, first assistant postmaster general. Mr. Cleveland issued an order to the effect that no officeholder, and especially those in the postal department, would be permitted to engage actively in politics under penalty of being removed. Mr. Heath has announced that any person in the employ of the postal department would be permitted to engage in the full exercise of his prerogative as a citizen. This, he explains, includes taking part in the primaries of the party to which the employee belongs, attending conventions, making speeches on the campaign stump, etc. The only qualification made by Mr. Heath is the natural one that the employee must not neglect his duties to the service.

In view of this order of First Assistant Postmaster General Heath, the postmaster at Owensboro, who took such an active part in the late republican primary there has in no ways endangered his standing with the department, and the fight of Hon. Geo. Jolly against the so called "ring" in the Second district is less. Mr. Heath's ruling destroys one great aim of the civil service law. It is probable that this last order is but a forerunner of other changes in the civil service which will practically do away with the system.

THE MAYOR'S PROPOSITION.

The proposition of the mayor looking to the issuance of \$100,000 of bonds for the purpose of street improvements is one that must be considered very carefully by the council before submitting it to the people for popular vote, for the people will weigh the proposition carefully at the polls. The general idea that we must have better streets in certain parts of the city is true; the necessity of a new market house is generally recognized, while storm sewers are greatly needed, especially on Broadway.

Broadway should be reconstructed and the street made of the most substantial material. A storm sewer on Broadway should be built and the city needs a new market house. But it would be most unwise at this time to order or provide for the reconstruction of Jefferson, Court and Washington streets. The fact that the city's bonded indebtedness is small, should not cause our city fathers to become careless in providing more bonds.

The people also when they come to vote bonds, whether for the mayor's proposition or of a less amount, will have to be assured that there is to be no such financial management or apparent jobbery as exists in the new public school building. We imagine that it will be difficult for the people to bring themselves to the point of reposing sufficient confidence in the present council as to give it the privilege of letting contracts to the amount of \$100,000.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

The nomination of Theodore Roosevelt yesterday for governor of New York was a move on the political chess board that may have a far-reaching influence in politics and for many years to come. Though it has been quite the custom to ridicule the peculiar ideas of Roosevelt, it cannot be denied that he is a man of undoubted honesty, rare courage and positive convictions. His ideas have been his own. He has had no political boss. He may be impetuous and indiscreet in what he says at times, but he is a strong man with

the people, and will doubtless be elected by a large majority. Roosevelt's election to the governorship means that he will most probably be on the national republican ticket in 1900 along with McKinley. His election also means that Richard Croker's plans to be the ruling spirit in the democratic national councils in 1900 will receive a rude shock, for his whole plan rests on a demonstration of his power in New York state. This is an off year in politics, but it is a most important one as far as the results of the New York campaign are concerned.

\$100,000 IN BONDS

Recommended by Mayor Lang to Place the Streets in Repair and Secure Sub-Drainage. The Called Meeting.

The City Engineer Trouble All Over—Mr. Ezell Wanted Both the Engineer and His Assistant to Resign.

The council met last night in called session with all the members present except Mr. Smith.

The most important feature of the meeting was a communication from the mayor relative to issuing bonds to the amount of \$100,000 for repaving the streets and providing sub-drainage.

The voluminous ordinance regulating house connections with sewerage was given second reading. They struck a snag when the section of the ordinance was read relative to plans of sewerage plumbing on houses. Mr. Ezell suggested that there might be some additional cost attached to the drawing of the plans, and wanted it specified that the plans shall be furnished by the plumber without extra charge. How they were to be restrained from making extra charge was not stated.

Mr. Elliott didn't think it necessary. He said any one could draw the simple plans required, and no trouble was anticipated on account of it, as the section was taken from the rules of Memphis.

Capt. Fowler said so far as Memphis is concerned, Memphis is one of the richest cities in the country. Paducah contains more poor people to the square inch than any city its size in the country. He was for the cheapest plan.

The amendment offered by Mr. Ezell was concurred in, and several minor changes made. The ordinance was then given first passage, as amended.

Councilman Ezell moved that the ordinance relative to requiring saloons to close at 11 o'clock p. m. and remain closed until 5 a. m. be taken from the table. He didn't get it very far off the table, however, for his motion was lost. Mr. Elliott, chairman of the sewerage committee, offered a resolution relative to the duties of assistant city engineer, in lieu of a report in the Lyon investigation. Mr. Ezell asked if the committee offered the resolution as a report. Mr. Elliott said it was. Mr. Ezell then said that he was opposed to the resolution as a report. That he thought it was a good resolution, but that there had been no trouble in any of the departments except the engineering department during the ten months the council had been in office and that charges of dereliction of duty had been filed against one, and incompetency against the other. He moved that the resignation of City Engineer Postlethwaite and his assistant, Mr. Lyon, both be requested by the council.

Capt. Fowler said he was in favor of the report and would stand by it. It was offered by the committee appointed to investigate, and he had confidence in their discretion.

Mr. Elliott said the committee thought the resolution would remedy the evil and that as the duties would be defined, there would be no further clash. He remarked, however, that the next "racket" they had he would be heartily in favor of a motion similar to Mr. Ezell's.

There was no second to Mr. Ezell's motion, and the resolution of the committee was adopted, which disposes of the recent trouble, all charges having been withdrawn.

A petition was read from Mr. Ed Bradshaw relative to some of his land being washed away where Broadway was extended. Referred.

The license committee reported in regard to transferring the license of Harry S. Allen to Jake Rouse, and from Twelfth and Trimble to Thirteenth and Tennessee streets, recommending the transfer asked be refused. Concurred in.

The mayor said he had ascertained there would have to be an election of a councilman from the Fifth ward, and a trustee from the First ward, in November. It was also desired that there be an extra registration day, but the understanding is these registration days are provided for by ordinance. There was no action taken because, if any is necessary it will be taken next Monday.

The mayor reported that the city had entered into a contract with the American Carbon Co. to furnish carbon for the electric plant at \$19 per 1000 pairs. It was approved.

The mayor read a communication relative to voting an issuance of \$100,000 in bonds to place in repair all the streets of the city, and provide sub-drainage instead of gutters. The communication was referred to the finance committee and city attorney.

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been better if the sewerage system had been built by bonds, also.

The public improvement committee was authorized to have a new floor put in Central fire station. The cost will be about \$200. Chairman Rudolph asked for further time in the Tenth street improvement ordinance. Adjourned.

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Innovation in Bridesmaids.

It was something of an innovation at an eastern wedding lately to have the bridesmaids enter four by the right and four by the left door of the church. It was such a surprise that the wedding party should thus separate that the audience did not at first notice that two processions were simultaneously making their way to the altar. The bride, on her father's arm, entered by the middle aisle, when her attendants had accomplished about half the distance up the right and left aisles. She was preceded by two ushers and her maid of honor walking alone, another pair of ushers closing the procession. As the bridesmaids reached the chancel they formed a lane through which the bride slowly passed to be met at the altar steps by the groom.

The consumption of horseflesh as human food has slightly decreased during the year in Paris, being 4,472 tons. This was derived from 20,878 horses, 53 mules, and 232 donkeys.

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500 may save your life—Plantation Chili Cure has saved thousands.
Sents are now on sale at VanCulin's book store for Barlow's minstrels, which appear at Morton's opera house tomorrow night. No extra charge for reserving.
BACK TO LEXINGTON.
Major Frank Boyd left this morning on the cannon ball for Lexington, after a visit of several days to friends and relatives here. He returned to camp sooner than expected.
MEDICAL SOCIETY MEETS.
The Paducah Medical and Surgical society meets tonight with Drs. Rivers and Reddick, at the Broadway infirmary.
TONIGHT.
The attraction at the opera house tonight will be the great Barlow minstrels. The company is first-class in every respect, and composed of some of the most noted artists in the minstrel business. Some of them are: Harry Ward, Lew Baldwin, Arthur Coburn, Fred Russell, Hugo Cannon, Steve Norton, Willie Hale, Archie Flood, Will James, John Hood, Joe Norton, Prof. Briggs, and a fine band and orchestra.
UNION MEETING.
An open union meeting of Banner and Hope commanderies, U. O. G. C., will be held at their citadel in the Campbell block, Thursday evening, September, 29th.
An attractive program has been arranged, and members should take advantage of this opportunity to become better acquainted.
Bring some member of your family or a friend with you.
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Grocery store, West Broadway and Sixteenth street. No. 1514. Apply at above place. 2486t

SHORT LOCALS.
HURT IN A WRECK.
William Elmore and Pete Halkins, colored, were hurt in a hand car wreck on the Illinois Central near Cecilia yesterday. They were brought to the city last night and lodged in the railroad hospital.
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331 Broadway.
FINE HORSE DIED.
Detective Anderson Miller was in the city last night. The only news of interest was the loss of a fine horse by Ivy Wilkins, of the Massac neighborhood. An operation was performed on the animal, from the effects of which it died.

PERSONALS.
Miss Ora V. Leigh is visiting in Mayfield.
Mr. Leslie Soule has returned from Nashville.
Mr. H. J. Black, of Louisville, is at the Palmer.
Mrs. Ola Towns, of North Fifth is on the sick list.
Mr. Harry G. Tandy has returned from Louisville.
Mr. Charles Truchart left this morning for Louisville.
Postmaster T. T. Hanberry, of Edyville, is in the city.
Mrs. Belle Johnson, of Fulton, is a guest of Mrs. W. A. Wickliff.
Mr. Bud Quarles has gone to Louisville to attend the races.
Mrs. Chas. Farrell, of Evansville, is a guest of Mrs. J. T. Reddick.
Supt. Wm. Eler has returned from Chicago and Terre Haute.
Mr. Charles Sugars has returned from an extended visit to relatives in Michigan.
Mr. Wallace Werner has gone to Murphysboro on a visit to his old home.
Mrs. Chas. W. Heeler, of Louisville, is a guest of her mother, Mrs. McCuen.
Miss Stella Levy has returned to New Orleans, after a visit to Mrs. Herman Friedman.
Mrs. S. C. McCormack, of Sellersburg, Ind., is a guest of Mrs. W. E. McGruder.
Attorney Max Hanberry left today for Cadiz to be absent for a week or longer.
Rev. W. E. Cave went up to Princeton this morning to attend conference.
Mr. D. V. Worten, of Carversville, was in the city today on a visit to his brother, Attorney Mark Worten.
Mr. Lee Blum, formerly of the city, is here on business and pleasure combined. **Big w selling printers' supplies.**
Secretary A. Knox has received an extension of his furlough, but has not heard anything as yet relative to getting his discharge from the army.
Mr. Tom Hall has returned from Cincinnati, where he went to see his friend, Attorney Tom Harrison, formerly of the city, who has been ill from an operation performed there. He left Mr. Harrison much improved.
Mr. S. T. Payne and father and son, Howard, left this morning for Louisville. Mr. Payne, Jr., will go on to Cincinnati, and his father and son will remain in Louisville. The latter is not to consult a specialist, as stated yesterday. He is in perfectly good health.
SMASHED QUEENSWARE.
Two Waiters Have a Lively Time at the New Richmond.
George Rouse and a negro named Smith, who were waiters at the New Richmond hotel, engaged in a fight this morning after breakfast, and had a hot time seeing which could smash the most queensware in the least time.
All the dishes in reach were sacrificed to their consuming ire, but neither of the belligerents was injured. Warrants were issued against them.
Charles Smith and Rouse were both warranted this morning for a breach of the peace. Smith is said to have been in fault, and the other man was released on bond.
WILL NEVER SAY DIE.
Councilman Ezell to Keep up the Good Work.
Councilman J. M. Ezell stated to a reporter this morning that he will make a motion to take from the table the ordinance requiring saloons to remain closed at night from 11 to 3, at every meeting of the council they hold, until he gets it off the table.
He wants it acted on some way, and says he will keep up the fight until he goes out of office a year from next December.
Health must be a secondary consideration with you. Dollars first, muddy water second and no health. Change this, get a Filter of Scott Hardware Co., and you will have good health. They don't cost much. 2782
RUNAWAY MAN.
His Friends Telegraph Here to Stop Him.
Marshal Collins this morning received a telegram from Benton, Ill., asking him to keep a lookout for Charles Rose, aged 21, light hair, blue eyes, who has disappeared and threatened to kill himself.
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PERSONALS.
Miss Ora V. Leigh is visiting in Mayfield.
Mr. Leslie Soule has returned from Nashville.
Mr. H. J. Black, of Louisville, is at the Palmer.
Mrs. Ola Towns, of North Fifth is on the sick list.
Mr. Harry G. Tandy has returned from Louisville.
Mr. Charles Truchart left this morning for Louisville.
Postmaster T. T. Hanberry, of Edyville, is in the city.
Mrs. Belle Johnson, of Fulton, is a guest of Mrs. W. A. Wickliff.
Mr. Bud Quarles has gone to Louisville to attend the races.
Mrs. Chas. Farrell, of Evansville, is a guest of Mrs. J. T. Reddick.
Supt. Wm. Eler has returned from Chicago and Terre Haute.
Mr. Charles Sugars has returned from an extended visit to relatives in Michigan.
Mr. Wallace Werner has gone to Murphysboro on a visit to his old home.
Mrs. Chas. W. Heeler, of Louisville, is a guest of her mother, Mrs. McCuen.
Miss Stella Levy has returned to New Orleans, after a visit to Mrs. Herman Friedman.
Mrs. S. C. McCormack, of Sellersburg, Ind., is a guest of Mrs. W. E. McGruder.
Attorney Max Hanberry left today for Cadiz to be absent for a week or longer.
Rev. W. E. Cave went up to Princeton this morning to attend conference.
Mr. D. V. Worten, of Carversville, was in the city today on a visit to his brother, Attorney Mark Worten.
Mr. Lee Blum, formerly of the city, is here on business and pleasure combined. **Big w selling printers' supplies.**
Secretary A. Knox has received an extension of his furlough, but has not heard anything as yet relative to getting his discharge from the army.
Mr. Tom Hall has returned from Cincinnati, where he went to see his friend, Attorney Tom Harrison, formerly of the city, who has been ill from an operation performed there. He left Mr. Harrison much improved.
Mr. S. T. Payne and father and son, Howard, left this morning for Louisville. Mr. Payne, Jr., will go on to Cincinnati, and his father and son will remain in Louisville. The latter is not to consult a specialist, as stated yesterday. He is in perfectly good health.
SMASHED QUEENSWARE.
Two Waiters Have a Lively Time at the New Richmond.
George Rouse and a negro named Smith, who were waiters at the New Richmond hotel, engaged in a fight this morning after breakfast, and had a hot time seeing which could smash the most queensware in the least time.
All the dishes in reach were sacrificed to their consuming ire, but neither of the belligerents was injured. Warrants were issued against them.
Charles Smith and Rouse were both warranted this morning for a breach of the peace. Smith is said to have been in fault, and the other man was released on bond.
WILL NEVER SAY DIE.
Councilman Ezell to Keep up the Good Work.
Councilman J. M. Ezell stated to a reporter this morning that he will make a motion to take from the table the ordinance requiring saloons to remain closed at night from 11 to 3, at every meeting of the council they hold, until he gets it off the table.
He wants it acted on some way, and says he will keep up the fight until he goes out of office a year from next December.
Health must be a secondary consideration with you. Dollars first, muddy water second and no health. Change this, get a Filter of Scott Hardware Co., and you will have good health. They don't cost much. 2782
RUNAWAY MAN.
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WHAT IS FARMING?
Agriculture Requires a High Order of Intellect and Training.
Farming in its true sense implies a great deal more than we ordinarily attach to the word. Good farming consists in growing the maximum amount of whatever crop we grow at the minimum cost, and leaving the soil in the best possible condition for succeeding crops. It implies even far more than that. The quality or market value of the crop must be considered and the fertility of the soil be maintained and increased.
In this sense cropping is not farming. The great bulk of "farmers" are croppers, not farmers. This is emphatically true of most "tenant farmers." Farming also implies in a most practical sense the curing, handling, storing and marketing of all kinds of farm produce. A successful farmer is not one who succeeds in accumulating some money by impoverishing his farm. This system might work well for a time on our new soils, but on some, which have been farmed for centuries, we must practice true farming. The fertility of the soil must be maintained; economically if possible, but expensively if need be. Some of the old Lancaster county farms which have been cultivated for more than 200 years are to day yielding crops unsurpassed by our newer rich western lands. This is also true of many other of the farm lands of our state. Lancaster county still holds the credit of being the banner agricultural county in this union. Its annual crops are said to be of greater money value than any other county.
The cultivating of these farms and maintaining, if not increasing their fertility, and diversifying the crops as a close study of the markets will suggest, is in the line of true farming and no doubt prompted the assertion made at the alumni dinner.
In this connection we most positively assert the farmer requires a high order of intellect and as great an amount of training, in order to be well equipped for his business, as that required by any other business or profession. This business is more varied, demanding a wider range of knowledge to understand the wonderful forces of nature than that of any other business. The ambitious young man in casting about for a field of labor which will employ all his talent and which talent and labor may be made remunerative (if agreeable to his tastes, and prosecuted with an intelligent and enthusiastic zeal) need look no farther than the study and practice of farming.
Ancient, honorable, independent and absolutely necessary, it is the one occupation which has most to do with the wonderful forces of nature.—Ohio Farmer.
You take no risk on Plantation Chili Cure, as it is guaranteed to cure.

A POLICE COURT BARGAIN.
Ways of the Lawyers Who Make Their Living There.
The ways of the police court lawyers are hard. A \$25 fee is seldom seen, a \$10 fee is of rare occurrence, a \$5 fee is something worth working for, and a fee of a dollar or so the usual thing.
An East side butcher had one of his employes arrested the other day for stealing some meat. His evidence against his employe was anything but clear, and the butcher entered court feeling not at all certain that he had done the right thing in causing the arrest.
The lawyers at work in the court had come across the case, and as soon as the butcher hove in sight they ran after him.
"Look here," said one of them, "this man of yours has a good case for false arrest against you. Do you know that?"
The butcher sorrowfully admitted that he did.
"Well, you want a lawyer to look after your case?"
"Yes," replied the butcher; "I haven't one. Can you take my case?"
"How much will you pay?"
"Five dollars."
"What?" cried both lawyers. "Five dollars. Well! Oh, say, you are joking! We couldn't think of taking the case for that."
"Besides," added one of the lawyers, "I'm too busy," and with a great show of business he looked at his watch, buttoned up his coat and hurried out of court. At the same time the other lawyer went over to the prisoner and began to talk to him in undertones.
By this time the poor butcher was very much frightened, and, hurrying after the lawyer who had left the court, caught him and brought him back.
"What will you take my case for?" he asked.
"Oh, about \$20."
"Good heavens!" cried the butcher himself, "this is the price of a driver of bargains, 'make it \$10.'"
"Too low," said the lawyer; "but—Joe, come in here!" he cried to the other lawyer, who was still talking to the prisoner. "He says will we make it \$10?"
"Well," replied Joe, "make it \$12.50 and I'll take it, but I'm losing money on it, I tell you that!"
So the butcher made it \$12.50, and the two lawyers got \$6.25 each.—N. Y. Sun.

DANCING GIRLS OF SIAM.
Perform Many Dextrous Feats—Are Remarkably Agile and Graceful.
The dancing girls of Siam are remarkable for the agility and grace of their movements. The cup dance is the prettiest and most poetic of all. A row of young girls, with a tier of cups on their heads, take their places in the middle of the great hall. A burst of joyous music follows. On hearing this they simultaneously with military precision, kneel down, fold their hands and bow their heads until their foreheads almost touch the polished marble floor, keeping the cups steadily on their heads by some marvelous jerk of the neck. Then, suddenly springing to their feet, they describe a succession of rapid and intricate circles, keeping time to the music with their arms, head and feet. Next the music swells into a rapturous tumult. The dancers raise their delicate feet, curve their arms and fingers in almost impossible flexures, sway to and fro like willows of willow, agitate all the muscles of the body like the flutter of leaves in the soft evening breeze, but still keep the cups on their heads.
The dancing girls of Bangkok are always exercising in the royal gymnasium. Their ages vary from five to twenty years. The curious and subtle feat of picking up a bit of straw with the eyelids can be learned only by the youngest of them, who are made to practice it in order to render them flexible in every part of the body. There are two long rows of benches, one a little higher than the other. On the lower is a row of little girls and on the upper bench are laid the polished bits of straw. At the sound of the drum the little girls all together bend back the head and neck until they touch the bits of straw, which, with wonderful dexterity, they secure between the corners of their eyelids.—London Society.
An Alibi.
He—I am really not myself at all, Blanche.
She—I am glad to hear you say that.
He—Glad? Why, pray?
She—Because when pa comes home to-morrow evening and asks if you were here, I can tell him no.—Boston Courier.
He's There Sure.
He—Do you believe that there is a man in the moon?
She—Yes; in the honeymoon.—Detroit Free Press.
—The five o'clock tea would probably be more popular with women if it was marked down to 4.57.—Chicago Daily News.
Druggists will say they sell more Plantation Chili Cure than all others.
Don't experiment, but get the old reliable Plantation Chili Cure.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF THE—
AMERICAN-GERMAN NATIONAL BANK,
At Paducah, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business, September 20th, 1908:
RESOURCES:
Loans and discounts \$ 313,341.99
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 12,236.98
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 3,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds 3,100.00
Stocks, securities, etc. 1,600.00
Banking houses, furniture and fixtures 22,500.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) 10,378.43
Due from State Banks and Bankers 3,301.91
Due from approved reserve agents 8,653.41
14,316.34 and other cash items
Notes of other National Banks 8,877.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents 667.74
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, viz:
Specie \$ 82,132.00
Legal tender notes 3,200.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas. 2,500.00
(\$ per cent of circulation) 2,500.00
Total \$ 609,226.96
LIABILITIES:
Capital stock paid in \$ 200,000.00
Surplus fund 100,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 19,301.08
National Bank notes outstanding 45,000.00
Due to other National Banks 17,600.14
Due to State Banks and Bankers 290.78
Individual deposits subject to check 390,236.92
Time certificates of deposits 66,465.24
Total \$ 609,226.96
State of Kentucky, I, S. S. County of McCracken, I, Ed L. Atkins, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Ed L. Atkins, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of September, 1908.
CHAS. E. RICHARDSON, Notary Public.
My commission expires January 25, 1910.
CORRECTION—Attest:
ED. P. NOBLE, HENRY HERRATT, J. P. KIRK, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
—OF—
THE CITY NATIONAL BANK
At Paducah, in the State of Kentucky, at the Close of Business, September 20, 1908:
RESOURCES:
Loans and discounts \$ 337,356.79
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 19,833.17
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 38,000.00
Stocks, securities, etc. 7,000.00
Banking houses, furniture, and fixtures 5,002.10
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) 14,340.82
Due from State Banks and Bankers 617.91
Due from approved reserve agents 8,586.00
Checks and other cash items 9,282.47
Notes of other National Banks 3,913.60
and cents 8.76
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, viz:
Specie \$ 82,132.00
Legal tender notes 3,200.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than \$ per cent redemption fund 9,000.00
Total \$ 720,384.11
LIABILITIES:
Capital stock paid in \$ 200,000.00
Surplus fund 100,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid 35,324.88
National Bank notes outstanding 180,000.00
Due to other National Banks 7,721.42
Due to State Banks and Bankers 30,779.62
Dividends unpaid 4,789.07
Individual deposits subject to check 133,961.10
Demand certificates of deposits 38,300.00
Total \$ 720,384.11
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PRICE AT ELEVATOR, twenty-five bushels and over: Choice Lump 6c, Nut 5c Bushel.
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We will refund 1c bushel to all our friends whose coal houses we have already filled for next winter's use.
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